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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No: 13768.73



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Richard C. Machin, et al.

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For: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER
PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR REPRESENTING
AND CONNECTING AN UNDERLYING
CONNECTION-ORIENTED DEVICE IN A
KNOWN FORMAT

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AMENDMENT "E"

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of November 12, 2003 (paper no. 20), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments being on page 10 of this paper.